

the Indian govern- respectively, in May encouraging prospects marks a positive sign

exports, bundled with 9.59% and 9.70% over an area of 15,000 ment's focus on making 2024 as cited by the (IICC), Dwarka, New India a 'global manufac- Confederation of Indian Delhi. Besides India, the turing hub' has set up Textile Industry (CITI), upcoming edition will

600+ brands, spread sqm at Yashobhoomi demonstrate the global for the stakeholders of uplifting the spirits of excellence in textile

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SCREENTEX India 2024 will act as a technology platform showcasing latest innovations in Screen and Textile / Digital Printing Machinery, Materials, Sublimation Printing from some of the leading Indian and



international suppliers Fri, August 9th, 2024 Knit Show - 2024 Top Light Trade Center, Tirupur, India

Since 2000, Knit Show is the leading exhibition in India for textile-garment



machinery, technology, India accessories, and related 19th Edition services.

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Fri, September 13th,

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2024

12th India International Sporting Goods Show-2024

Thu, August 29th, 2024 Pragati Maidan, New Footwear India Expo is Delhi

Sport India 2024- 12th Where Brand Manu-India International Sporting Goods Show International Exhibition on Sports Goods, Sports Wear & Accessories, Fitness, Gym & Rehabilitation Equipments ,Sports Flooring and

Technology, Golf, Adventure & Amusement, Motor Sports, Toys, Sports Wellness & Beauty ,Raw Materials

& Sports Goods Manufacturing Machineries Sport Medicine & Allied Industries India

2024 Footwear Garfab – TX Surat -INDIACOXDO 2024

Fri, August 30th, 2024 Surat International Exhibition and Footwear India Expo-Convention Centre, India

Pragati Maidan, Delhi, Product Profile:-Sewing Embroidery Digital Printing CAD Footwear India Expo is CAM Cutting scheduled to be held Spreading Quilting between 30-31August Finishing Testing Equipment Software's Yarns Accessories and Trims Rapier Loom the the Only B2B Event Dyes and Chemicals and Accessories facturers, Wholesale



And Machinery Fri, September 20th, Manufacturers in 2024

Garment Technology industry are Brought Expo Bengaluru-2024 Gayarti Vihar Place Grounds, Bengaluru, India

> Garment Technology Expo's flagship event, GTE, New Delhi is held in spring, annually. Started in 2001 with 87 participants and managing 4700





visitors, through the journey across 33 editions of progressive growth and consistent patronage, the 2016 edition accommodated 327 participants, representing over 800 from 22 countries.



Tue, October 15th, 2024

India Carpet Expo October-2024 Carpet Expo Mart, Carpet City, Bhadohi, India

India Carpet Expo is one of the largest Handmade Carpet Fair in Asia which serves as a unique platform for the buyers to source the best of handmade carpets, rugs and other floor coverings under

Thu, November 21st, Laundrex India Expo-

Bombay Exhibition Centre, Mumbai, India

2024

2024

Laundrex India is the companies and brands fastest growing exhibition on the laundry and dry cleaning in the Indian Subcontinent.

It continues to be the single largest sourcing point for the latest laundry, dry-cleaning and linen care prod-



ucts, systems and solutions. Thu, December 5th, 2024

InModa -2024 India International Convention & Expo Centre, New Delhi Exhibitor Profile:-Fashion : Brands & Labels Activewear &

Luggage & Travel Apparel Industry of Accessories. Bangladesh for the past Fri, December 20th, 23 years.

2024 Garknit – X - Kolkata-2024

Biswa Bangla Mela Pragan, Kolkata, India

Product Profile:-Knitting Machines Sewing Machines Embroidery Machines Digital Textile Printing Machines Screen Printing Machines CAD CAM Fusing Machines

Spreading Machines Laundry & Washing Machines Finishing Machines Testing Equipment Leather Garment Machinery Dyeing & Processing Dyes & Chemicals Fabrics Yarns Accessories and Trims.

FAIRS ABROAD



For the past 22 years GTB has become the technology platform for sourcing the apparel technology for the RMG Sector of Bangladesh bringing the Global Technology Players under one roof showcasing the cutting edge Sewing, Finishing,

Embroidery machinery and spares & Allied Products



Wed, September 4th,



Thu, January 9th, 2025 GTB – Garment

Technology Bangladesh-2025

International Convention City, Dhaka, Bangladesh

On the government resilience. With the schemes and initiatives upcoming edition of - many of companies Gartex Texprocess shared that schemes India 2024, the and initiatives like PLI, momentum has been ATUFs, RoDTEP & set to present the RoSCTL, NTTP, NHDP, transformations in PM MITRA Parks, textiles right from the Handloom Weavers' textile manufacturing Comprehensive machinery, garment, Welfare Scheme, fabric and denims to Integrated Skill trims and accessories Development Scheme and lots more. (ISDS), schemes for Sustainability and MSMEs and amongst Innovations in textiles others, have served to are at the heart of the be beneficial for not show." only growing their businesses but also Juneja, Director of MEX expand the technical Exhibitions Pvt Ltd, skillsets resulting in a added: "With the healthy business recent growth atmosphere.

As the prepa- exports and focus on

rations for the event boosting the manufacgear up, Mr Raj Manek, turing sector in India -Executive Director and it will take textile under Board Member of its stride creating more Messe Frankfurt Asia business and job Holdings Ltd shared: "I opportunities in very think India is evolving near future." SELL ANYTHING ONL LUDHIANA HOSIERY INDUSTRY YARN - FABRIC - ACCESSORIES - MACHINERY RELIABLE SUPPLIERS AT 回源第回 IRTUALS https://cityvibesindia.com/virtual-showroom





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Knitting Machinery - Welcome to The World of Knitting Market

Knitting machinery has come a long way since its humble beginnings. From handoperated knitting machines to sophisticated computerized systems, the evolution of knitting technology has been remarkable. Today,

knitting machinery plays a crucial role in mass production, enabling the creation of intricate designs and high-quality fabrics with unmatched precision.

Knitting is a method of creating fabric by interlocking loops of yarn using knitting needles or a knitting machine. Unlike weaving, which

involves the perpendicular interlacing of yarn, knitting forms a series of connected loops that



create a stretchy and flexible textile.

The type of cloth produced through knitting can vary depending on the technique used and the type of yarn employed. Common types of



Oils: Lubricants and oils



and sensors, having a reliable source of spare parts is vital for minimizing downtime and maximizing productivity.

*Yarns: Whether it's natural fibers like wool and cotton or synthetic materials, choosing the right yarn is

The knitting industry encompasses a broad spectrum of sectors within the garment manufacturing industry.

critical for achieving the desired texture, strength, and appearance.

There are various types India's Thriving Knitting of knitting machinery Industry

> The Indian knitting market has been experiencing steady growth in recent years, driven by factors such as rising demand for knitted garments,

machinery, and increas-

ing investments in the

The domestic apparel &

textile industry in India

contributes approx. 2.3

% to the country's GDP,

13% to industrial

production and 12% to

exports. India has a 4%

share of the global trade

According to reports, the

in textiles and apparel.

textile sector.

available, each designed for specific purposes and applications:

* Circular Knitting Machines: Ideal for producing seamless tubular fabrics, such as socks, hats, and sleeves. *Flat Knitting

Machines: Used for creating flat panels of fabric, suitable for garments like sweaters,

scarves, and blankets. *Warp Knitting Machines: Employed for producing lace fabrics, tricot, and other complex knitted structures. * Jacquard

Knitting Machines: Enable the creation of intricate patterns and designs, including logos, motifs, and textures.

*Allied industries catering to knitting manufacturing -*Lubricants &



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fine techniques, making India Advancements in Technol- more efficient, and one of the largest textile ogy exporting countries in the world. With regions like



environmentally friendly. Computerized knitting machines equipped with advanced software allow designers to create complex patterns with ease, while automated processes streamline production and minimize waste. With brands experimenting with new technologies and integrating traditional methods for more efficacy, each brand's model offers unique qualities.

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knitted fabrics include Raschel, Tricot, Milanese knit, Jersey, Interlock, Rib, Purl and many more When it comes to knitting machinery there are various types of machines, in hundreds of models offering numerous qualities.

Knitting Machinery & **Allied Industries**

play a crucial role in maintaining the performance and longevity of knitting machinery.

*Spare Parts: Spare parts are essential for keeping knitting machinery in optimal working condition. From needles and cams to

staggering Rs68,932 crore (approx. \$9.1 billion USD) and is projected to grow at a promising rate of 9% to reach Rs1,61,700 crore electronic components

(approx. \$21.5 billion USD) by 2027.

Knitting mills in India, particularly in regions like Ludhiana, Tirupur, Delhi, Bangalore, and Mumbai, are known for their quality and

Ludhiana & Tirupur being knitting manufacturing hubs of India, contributes significantly to India's overall textile production.

The main items of knitwear exports are men's T-shirts, ladies tops with embroidery and sequins, sportswear, jogging suits, night suits, and boxer sets.

Recent advancements in knitting machinery have revolutionized the industry, making production faster,

ates Sustainabl Trends ashion

The fashion industry is omy and upcycling are witnessing an upward trend in sustainable fashion. From groundbreaking advance- sustainability. This ments in eco-friendly fabrics to technological advancements in machinery equipment, the apparel industry has undergone transformative shifts. This change is propelled by the emerging demand of consumers for environment friendly clothing Following are the latest

fashion trends poised to bring a change and embrace a-conscious environment.

1. Circular Economy & Upcycling

ful buying decisions The advanced principles of the circular econthat encourages lon-

considered one of the ing frequent purchases. 3. Rise in Vegan Fashdefining strategies for waste reduction and ion strategy is aimed at

keeping products in circulation for a longer duration, measuring the ecological footprint The use of traditional of garment production material sourcing like

and disposal. 2. Slow Fashion Slow fashion is making a comeback with consumers prioritising ethical production and environmental responsibility. As people are maktual Fittings ing reasonable choices, the slow fashion landscape is getting noticed. Put otherwise, slow fashion involving care-

Recently, the notion of veganism has influenced buying decisions and permeated mainstream consciousness.

wool has become a point of concern for consumers. Hence, crueltyfree alternatives such as vegan fashion are soaring in demand. 4. Digitization and Vir-

With digitization at its peak, the landscape of clothing shopping is experiencing a revolution. The boom of virtual fitting rooms and 3D body scanning tech-

gevity, thereby reduc- nologies is pushing forward the notion of sustainable fashion practices. This helps them streamline inventory management and curb waste

> 5. Emergence of E-Textiles

The introduction of etextiles is making way for innovations. It is transforming the way consumers interact with the garment industry. The shift from traditional hard materials such as metal and plastics to trending textiles permeated with conductive fibres and yarns. This has led to increased flexibility and comfort while promo ting wellness initiatives. 6. Rise in Sustainable

materials The fashion industry includes sustainable fashion at its core. Sustainable fashion is linked with an ecofriendly environment

and reduced carbon footprint. The adoption of sustainable materials is the driving force behind innovation and exploration. Alternatives such as food waste with material produced from fruits and vegetables are gaining prominence. Other than this, biodegradable and renewable options are ruling consumer demand in comparison to traditional fabrics. 7. On-Demand Fashion The rampant issue of overproduction of gar-9. Textile Recycling

ments is giving a new lease to ondemand manufacturing. On-demand fashion embraces sustainability and mitigates waste. As a matter of course,

the recent fashion model will be based on retailers' predictions of consumer preferences. 8. Eco-Friendly Dyes The recent environmental changes are affecting the everevolving fashion industry. In a recent development, eco-friendly dyes are seen overpowering traditional dyeing processes. Previously, dyeing has been considered a major contributor to pollution.



Considered a crucial and viable solution for reducing waste production, textile recycling is making a wave for its significance. From saving natural resources to reducing greenhouse gas emissions, textile recycling is a standout solution. Alongside, it is a feasible alternative to support social responsibility and the circular economy in fashion. Conclusion

Wrapping it up, the conscious fashion future of sustainable industry.

fashion is expected to witness a boom. With consumers becoming responsive to environmental concerns, sustainable fashion is on the rise. From ethical sourcing to innovative solutions, sustainable fashion choices are leading the charge. Hence, brands receptive to unfolding trends and breakthroughs are set to shape a more sustainable and eco-

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INDIA BUDGET: FM increases budget 28% for textile sector schemes

Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman announced a 28 per cent budget increase for the textile sector to Rs4,417.03 crore for 2024-25.

Specific allocations include Rs600 crore for cotton procurement, Rs635 crore for the Amended Technology Upgradation Fund Scheme, Rs375 crore for the National Technical Textiles Mission, and increased funding for PM MITRA. Indian government has ment, National ment



Development and few expenditure, totalling currently hovering near other schemes.

allocation for the proposed Rs4,373 scheme, Sitharaman will have to purchase textile sector by 28 per crore for revenue and announced Rs600 cotton in substantial cent to Rs4,417.03 43.65 crore for capital crore for the procure- quantities during the crore for current fiscal expenditure totalling ment of cotton by coming marketing 2024-25. Union Rs4,417.03 crore for Cotton Corporation of season beginning Finance Minister various scheme and India (CCI) under price October 1. Nirmala Sitharaman administrative support scheme. The FM has proposed to has proposed to expenditure. In government did not allocate Rs635 crore for increase budget comparison, as per allocate any fund for Amended Technology allocation significantly revised budget of the last two fiscal years Upgradation Fund for cotton procure- 2023-24, the govern- as cotton prices Scheme (ATUFS) for the Technical Textile earmarkedRs3,424.53 minimum support there was allotment of Mission, Integrated crore for revenue and price (MSP). However, Rs675 crore. It is Scheme for Skill 18.56 crore for capital cotton prices are understood that

Rs3,443.09 crore. increased budget The government Under the Central benchmark, hence CCI h a d remained above the current fiscal. Last year,

to MSP or below the

allocated fund will be utilised to clear pending applications under the scheme which was discontinued earlier.

The government has doubled budget allocation to Rs375 crore for National Technical Textiles Mission (NTTM) from Rs170 crore of last fiscal (revised budget). However, Rs450 crore were allocated for the programme in the last fiscal (budget allocation). Under the head of Research and Capacity building, Rs45 crore were allocated for current fiscal for Production Linked Incentive (PLI) scheme for Textile. Earlier, the government had allocated Rs5 crore for the scheme. The allocation is increased to Rs166 crore from Integrated Scheme for Skill Development from Rs115 crore of last fiscal (Revised allocation). Funds for Textile Cluster Development Scheme increased to Rs100 crore from Rs70 crore. Total allocation for Research and Capacity Building increased to Rs686 crore from Rs380.50 crore. But there is no allocation for R&D in textile for the current fiscal.

Finance Minister proposed to increase funding for PM MITRA to Rs300 crore from 52.30 crore of last fiscal. FM had initially announced Rs200

crore for the ambitious scheme, but it was lowered in the revised budget. The allocation for Raw material Supply scheme also increased to Rs172.17 crore from Rs160 crore of last fiscal. The allocation for National Institute for Fashion Technology (NIFT) reduced to 98.67 crore from Rs103.13 crore of the last fiscal.

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